

ATTENTION: BOX AFTER FINAL RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED EXAMINING GROUP 1700

PATENT Customer Number 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 5725.0496-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **Marie-Pascale AUDOUSSET** Application No.: 09/443,505 Group Art Unit: 1751 CPA Filed: April 23, 2001 Examiner: M. Einsmann COMPOSITION FOR THE For: OXIDATION DYEING OF KERATIN FIBRES AND DYEING PROCESS USING THIS RECEIVED APR 2 2 2002 TC 1700 COMPOSITION **Assistant Commission for Patents** Washington, DC 20231 Sir:

REPLY AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action dated December 19, 2001, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in light of the following remarks. The period for response has been extended one month to April 19, 2002, by the accompanying petition and fee.

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